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BOX: SEQUENCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Re: Inventors: Andrew D. Ellington, Michael P. Robertson, Kristin A. Marshall  
U.S. Patent Application Entitled: ALLOSTERICALLY REGULATED RIBOZYMES  
Serial No.: 09/661,658  
Filed: September 14, 2000  
Priority Date: June 15, 2000  
Our File No.: 119927-1021

In regard to the above-referenced matter, we have enclosed the following documents:

1. Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821-1.825;
2. Disk containing sequence listing;
3. Hard copy of Sequence Listing; and
4. Postcard.

Please file the above-referenced document and return the date-stamped postcard to our office at the above address. It is believed that no additional fees are due. If this is incorrect, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees due which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 07-0153.

In the meantime, if you have any questions or comments concerning any of the above, please call the undersigned at your convenience. Otherwise, please accept the enclosed.

If you need anything further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



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